

# Third Grade News

Sept. 4, 2018

Waddell Elementary  
School

## Classroom Information

Last week we took our first math test on the computer. It is important for students to learn to take math tests using the computer since the SOLs are computerized. There is a copy of your child's results in today's Monday folder. We have reviewed any incorrect answers in class. If your child scored below an 80%, you will receive a copy of any questions your child missed. Please take a few moments to review these questions with your child. We feel strongly that tests should be an opportunity to demonstrate what a student knows, but they should also be learning opportunities. We want all students to learn from their mistakes.

## Donations Still Being Accepted

We are still accepting donations for our **Make-a Splash Water Safety Program** that will provide swimming lessons to all third-grade students in September. We hope to sponsor a pie at the 9th Annual Community Pie Festival which is being held on Saturday, Sep. 15 from 4-8pm at the Great Valley Farm Brewery. We hope to see you there!



## Dates to Save

Sep 3	Labor Day (No School)
Sep 5	Lockdown Drill: 2:00 pm
Sep 11	Rowsey, Make-a-Splash
Sep 15	Community Pie Festival, 4-8pm
Sep 17	Interim Reports (as needed)
Sep 18	Rowsey, Make-a-Splash
Sep 20	Third Grade Annual Potato Bake
Sep 24	Rowsey to Boxerwood
Sep 25	Fall Pictures
	Rowsey, Make-a-Splash

## Curriculum News

**Math** – Telling time to the minute, determining elapsed time to the hour, and reading a thermometer to the nearest degree

**Language Arts** – Making predictions

**Social Studies** – Geography  
Performance-Based Assessment and  
Egypt Introduction

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